## **Selected Census 2000 Short Form Questions**

1. What is this person's sex?	4. What is this person's race? Mark one
☐ Male	or more races to indicate what this
☐ Female	person considers himself/herself to be.
2. What is this person's age and date of birth? (Print numbers in boxes)	☐ White ☐ Black, African American, or Negro
Age on April 1, 2000	☐ American Indian or Alaska Native — Print name of enrolled or principal
Month of Birth	tribe below ¬
Day of Birth	☐ Asian Indian ☐ Japanese
Year of Birth	☐ Chinese ☐ Korean
Note: Please answer BOTH questions 3 and 4.	☐ Filipino ☐ Vietnamese
3. Is this person	☐ Other Asian — Print race below <b>¬</b>
Spanish/Hispanic/Latino?	
☐ No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino	☐ Native Hawaiian
☐ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American,	☐ Guamanian or Chamorro
Chicano	Samoan
☐ Yes, Puerto Rican	Other Pacific Islander —
☐ Yes, Cuban	Print race below •
☐ Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino —	
Print group below \(\bar{\gamma}\)	☐ Some other race — Print race below ¬

View the Census 2000 questionnaire on the U.S. Census Bureau Web site (www.census.gov).



## Additional Resources

## Web sites

U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov). The source for information on people, business, and geography, this site offers census news, maps, tools to build your own data tables, and more.

Census Catalog and Guide (www.census.gov/prod/3/97pubs/cencat97.pdf). Here's where you can find out about the data products and services available from the U.S. Census Bureau. For more information, call (301) 457-4100.

50 States & Capitals (www.50states.com). Visit here for all kinds of official state information, such as state bird, state song, government representatives, and more.

**U.S.** House of Representatives (www.house.gov). This site offers up-to-date reports of House events and an opportunity to identify and contact House Representatives.

Map Man (www.scholastic.com/jsi/mapman). This is an on-line geography contest, hosted by *Junior Scholastic* magazine, featuring a new game each week.



## **Books**

**State Governments** by Barbara Silberdick Feinberg (Watts, 1993). This easy-to-read book explains the division of power between federal and state governments, and gives an overview of what officials, such as governors, legislators, and judges, do.

Take a Stand! by Daniel Weizmann (Price/Stern/Sloan, 1996). An upbeat introduction to American government with a bias toward civic participation, this book uses humor and cartoons to make learning about the branches of government, related agencies, and party politics fun.

**Statistical Abstract of the United States** *by the U.S. Census Bureau* (National Technical Information Service, 1998). If one book can sum us up as a nation, it's this hefty one. Order it by phone (1-800-553-6847) or via the Internet (www.census.gov/stat\_abstract).